



Executive Department  
State of Idaho

*The Office of the Governor*  
**Proclamation**

State Capitol  
Boise

*WHEREAS, school counselors are employed in public and private schools to help students reach their full potential; and*

*WHEREAS, school counselors are committed to helping students explore their abilities, strengths, interests and talents as these traits relate to career awareness and development; and*

*WHEREAS, school counselors help parents focus on ways to further the educational, personal and social growth of their children; and*

*WHEREAS, school counselors work with teachers and other educators to help students explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves; and*

*WHEREAS, school counselors seek to identify and utilize community resources that can enhance and complement comprehensive school counseling programs and help students become productive members of society; and*

*WHEREAS, comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim February 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>, 2008 to be*

***National School Counseling Week***  
*in Idaho.*



*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord two thousand and eight and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-second and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred eighteenth.*

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "C.L. Butch Otter".

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER  
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ben Yursa".

BEN YURSA  
SECRETARY OF STATE